

Recommended On-Line FEMA Training Course Applying ICS to Healthcare Organizations

FEMA's Emergency Management Institute (EMI) offers free on-line training on *Applying the Incident Command System (ICS) to Healthcare Organizations* and provides participants with an official FEMA Certificate of Completion upon successful completion of the course.

Healthcare workers and support staff completing this comprehensive program will gain a better understanding of the concepts utilized in the Nursing Home Incident Command System (NHICS).

It is recommended that select staff members of Long Term Care facilities including executive staff and those who are part of the facility's NHICS Incident Management Team (IMT) complete this comprehensive training program.

Link to on-line program: <http://training.fema.gov/EMIWeb/IS/is200HCa.asp>

IS-200.HCa Applying ICS to Healthcare Organizations

Course Overview

IS-200 follows National Incident Management System (NIMS) guidelines and meets the NIMS Baseline Training requirements for IS-200.

IS-200.HCa is designed to provide training on the Incident Command System (ICS) to healthcare professionals whose primary responsibility is emergency management, to include middle management within a hospital or healthcare system. Such professionals may include physicians, department managers, unit leaders, charge nurses, and hospital administrators that would have a leadership role during an incident..

Primary Audience

IS-200.HCa course should be completed by the hospital personnel that would have a direct role in emergency preparedness, incident management, and/or emergency response during an incident.



NIMS Compliance

This course is NIMS compliant and meets the NIMS Baseline Training requirements for IS-200.

Prerequisites

- IS-100.HC Introduction to the Incident Command System for Healthcare/Hospitals is a prerequisite.
- Completion of IS 700A, National Incident Management System (NIMS), An Introduction is recommended.

Course Length

Approximately 3 hours

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